MBA Fundamentals Program for Researchers

Boost your Career with Management Expertise!

KIT – The Research University in the Helmholtz Association
Management Expertise for Researchers

Benefits

- Specifically tailored to researchers of natural/engineering sciences
- Enhance your career opportunities in business subjects alongside your research
- Perfect stepping stone for a career outside academia
- Training in the most important management topics in a nutshell
- Great opportunity to network with other young researchers
- Stand out from the crowd

Giving You an Edge in Your Postdoctoral or Industry Career!

The MBA Fundamentals Program, offered by the HECTOR School of Engineering & Management, Technology Business School of the Karlsruhe Institute of Technology, is designed exclusively for doctoral researchers.

The program gives you the unique opportunity to gain the keenly demanded knowledge in Management topics.

Hit the ground running with the extra knowledge gained in Finance, (International) Project Management, Business Strategy, and Entrepreneurship.

Unveil the secrets of Operations Management and discover the hidden potential of Digital Transformation.

And learn in Human Resource Management how to lead and organize your teams, projects, and department in a performance-based world.

As a consequence, this knowledge will be rewarded by industry and academia. The expertise gained in the MBA Fundamentals Program might be the key argument for you as a job candidate and will certainly enhance your career.
Structure of the MBA Program

Each unit comprises five days of lectures and workshops as well as an examination. The order of units can be chosen individually. After the successful completion of all units, a certificate is awarded.

Keyfacts

- **Target Group:** Doctoral Researchers, Post-Doctoral Researchers
- **Language of Instruction:** English
- **Six out of seven units each of five days = 30 days** (the program can be completed during the doctoral research project or on the job)
- **18 ECTS points**
- **Certificate** of the Karlsruhe Institute of Technology (KIT)
- **No application deadline, individual start**
- **Costs:** 2,100 € per unit

**Costs are covered** for members of one of our cooperation graduate schools

*This course is not mandatory for the completion of the certificate and do not grant credits. However, participation is strongly advised when completing the full program.*
»The MBA Fundamentals Program is an excellent complement to the mostly technical experiences gathered as a PhD student. It became an unexpected door opener for my career. I would strongly recommend it to anyone who contemplates a career outside of academia.«

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